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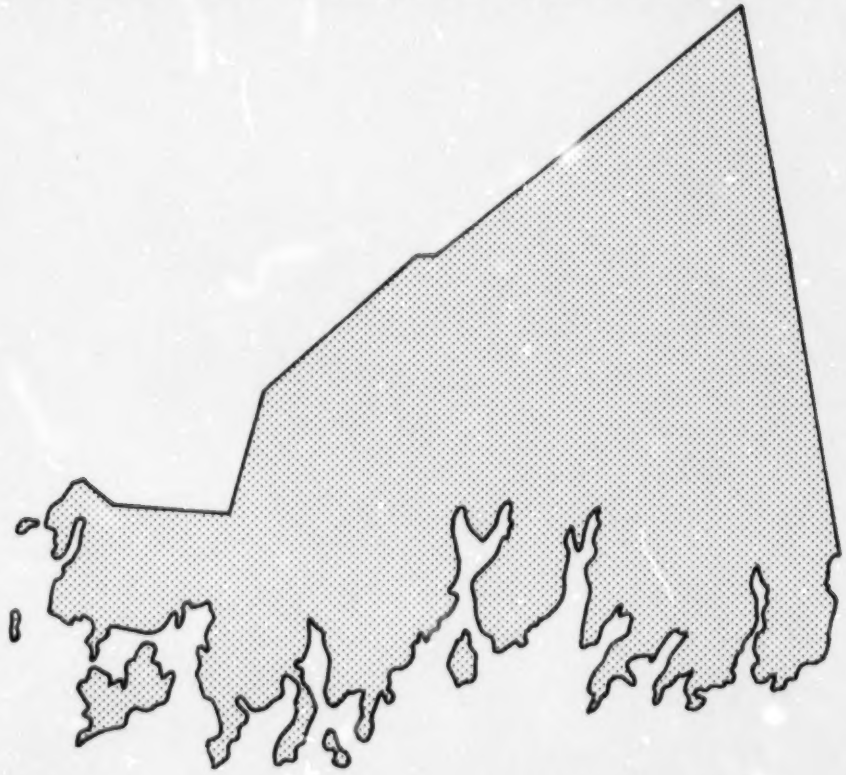

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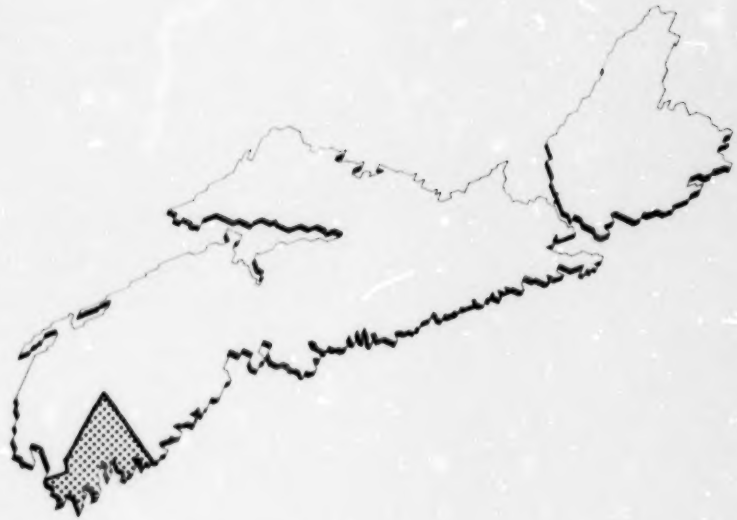
Shelburne County

Shelburne County, located in the province's southwest corner, is composed of two municipalities, Barrington to the west and Shelburne to the east. The first substantial settlement was made under the leadership of Charles de LaTour, in 1620, at Cape Sable. Despite the good fishing grounds in the area, development was slow, due to the relatively poor soils for farming.

As the American Revolution drew to a close, there were numerous groups in the American Colonies who wished to remain under the British monarchy. One of these groups was the Port Roseway Association which formed in New York. Included in this group were some of the wealthiest and best educated people in the Colonies. On May 4, 1783, eighteen square riggers and a number of smaller craft brought these Loyalists to Shelburne. By 1784 the town had 3,000 house lots, 1,000 store and waterfront lots and 1,000 farm lots. Industry and trade began to flourish in the next few years but the harshness of the land and its poor soil resulted in a mass exodus after government rations ceased in 1786.

By the 1850's the town of Shelburne had reestablished itself as a shipbuilding centre. Throughout the latter half of the nineteenth century the harbours of the county were busy with trading and privateering. The development of the fishery tided the economy over the decline of the wooden sailing vessel and it is the fishery and its processing which is the mainstay of the economy today.



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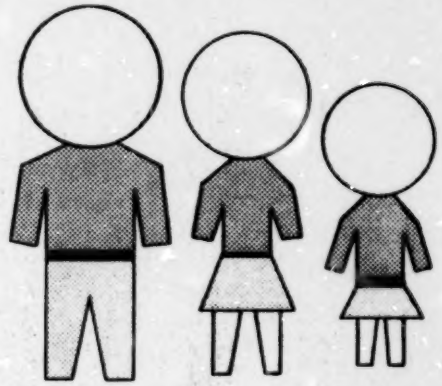
Shelburne County

Statistical Summary

	YEAR		% OF NOVA SCOTIA
Land area (sq. kilometers)	1981	2,356.5	4.5
Population	1981	17,328	2.0
Population density (per sq. kilometer)	1981	7.4	46.2
Labour Force	1981	7,100	1.9
Employed	1981	6,405	1.9
Average income per tax filer ($)	1981	11,095	88.7
Total retail sales ($'000)	1983	52,600	1.5
Retail sales per capita ($)	1983	3,003	75.2
Number of farms	1981	36	0.7
Lumber production (M. fbm.)	1982	6,341	4.2
Pulpwood production (m^3 solid wood)	1982	1,132	0.1
Sea fish landings (metric tons)	1982	63,343	13.5
Sea fish landings ($'000)	1982	45,677	17.6
Number of manufacturing establishments	1981	57	7.0
Value of manufacturing shipments ($'000)	1981	83,907	2.2
Number of permits for residential units	1983	109	1.8
Value of total building permits ($'000)	1983	5,033	1.1

SOURCES: Statistics Canada, Canadian Markets, Fisheries and Oceans Canada, Revenue Canada



Map 1

Subdivisions, Communities and Highways

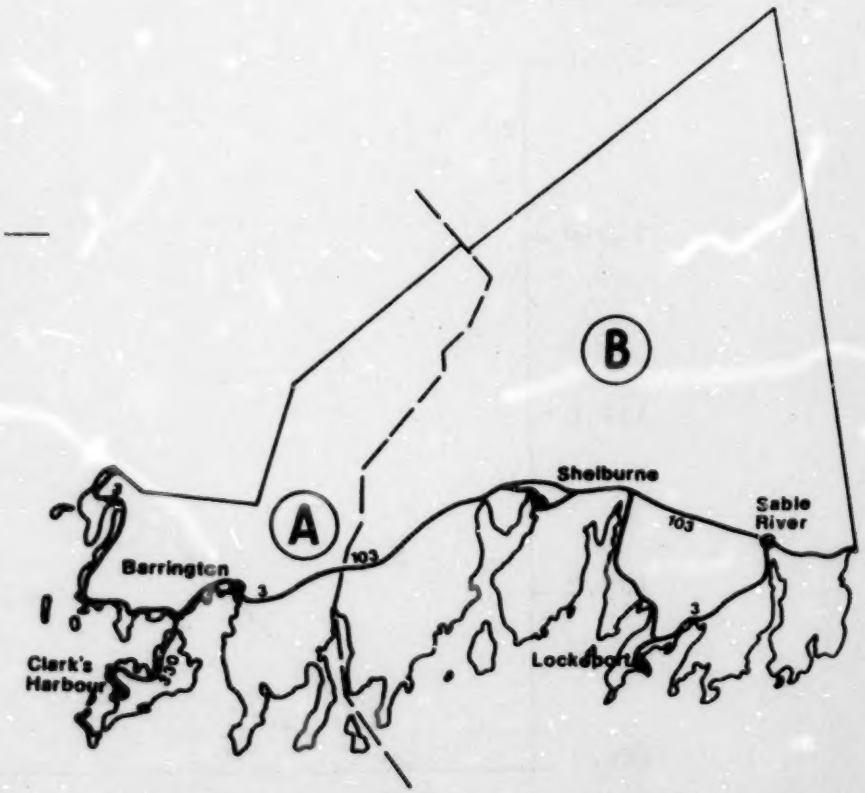
Shelburne County

Census Subdivision A - Barrington

Census Subdivision B - Shelburne

Census Subdivision Boundary

Highway & Number



Graph 1

Index of Population Growth
Shelburne County and Nova Scotia, 1961-1981

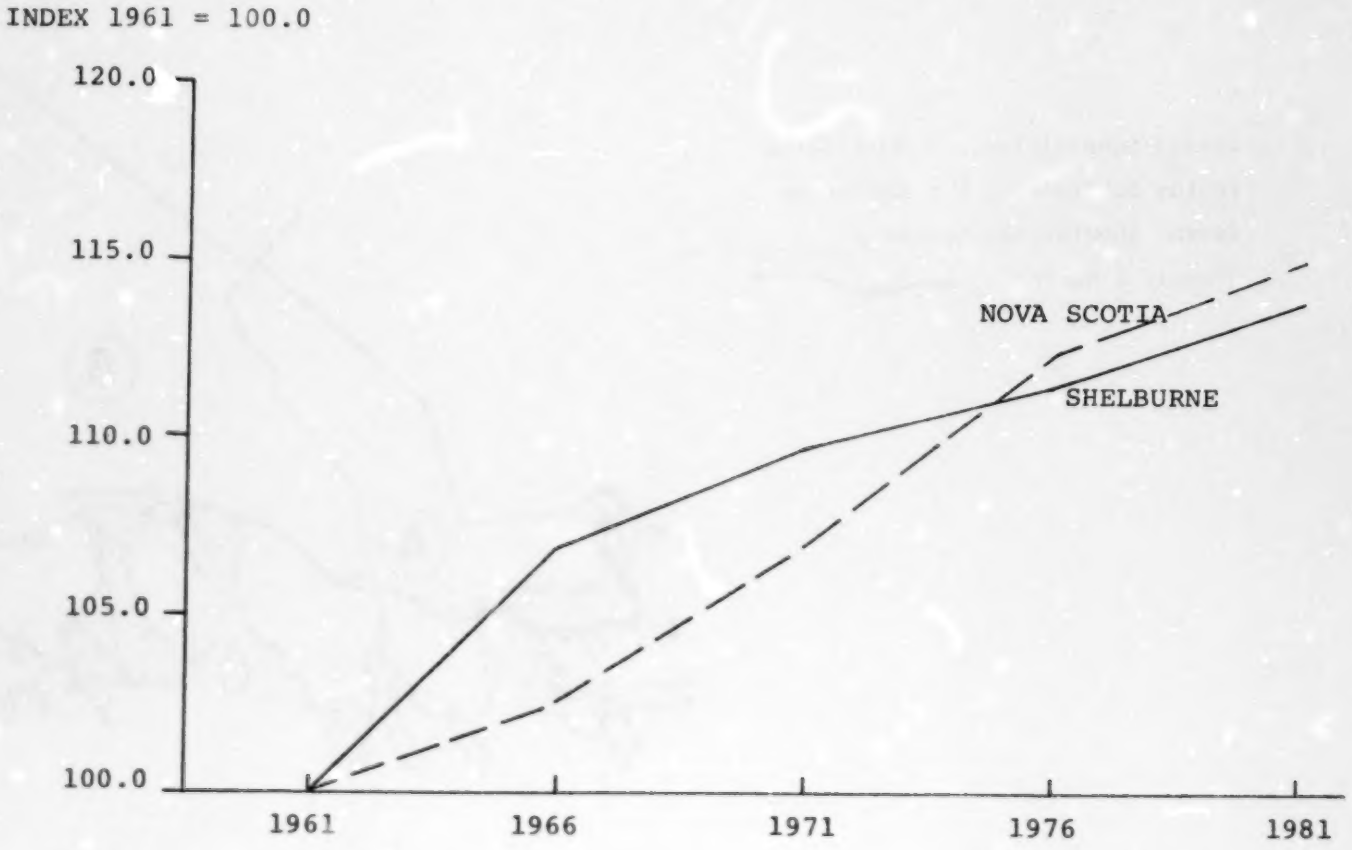


Table 1

Population Growth
Shelburne County and Nova Scotia, 1961-1981

	1961	1966	1971	1976	1981
NOVA SCOTIA	737,007	756,039	788,960	828,571	847,442
Shelburne County	15,208	16,284	16,661	16,970	17,328
Clark's Harbour	945	1,002	1,082	1,077	1,059
Lockeport	1,231	1,284	1,208	1,030	929
Shelburne	2,408	2,654	2,689	2,511	2,303
Barrington, municipality	5,956	6,549	6,921	7,258	7,680
Shelburne, municipality	4,668	4,795	4,761	5,094	5,357

Index of Population Growth
Shelburne County and Nova Scotia, 1961-1981

NOVA SCOTIA	100.0	102.6	107.0	112.4	115.0
Shelburne County	100.0	107.1	109.6	111.6	113.9
Clark's Harbour	100.0	106.0	114.5	114.0	112.1
Lockeport	100.0	104.3	98.1	83.7	75.5
Shelburne	100.0	110.2	111.7	104.3	95.6
Barrington, municipality	100.0	110.0	116.2	121.9	128.9
Shelburne, municipality	100.0	102.7	102.0	109.1	114.8

SOURCE: Statistics Canada, Census of Canada

Table 2

Population of Unincorporated Centres of 100 +
Shelburne County, 1976 and 1981

	1976	1981		1976	1981
Allendale	97	118	Lower Ohio	148	147
Barrington	424	388	Lower Sandy Point	n/a	257
Barrington Passage	426	722	Lower Shag Harbour	149	133
Bear Point	242	246	Lower Woods Harbour	602	550
Birchtown-Hantz Point	194	233	Newellton	474	377
Brass Hill	82	171	North East Harbour	96	102
Central Woods Harbour	270	290	North East Point	292	339
Centreville	188	248	Oak Park	85	139
Churchover	80	108	Port Clyde	133	106
Clam Point	336	358	Port LaTour	170	178
Clyde River	210	235	Sable River	121	117
Doctors Cove	154	160	Sable River West	138	135
East Baccaro	144	123	Sandy Point	569	684
East Green Harbour	321	391	Shag Harbour	216	254
East Jordon	125	139	South Side	437	434
Gunning Cove	146	129	Stony Island	253	272
Ingomar	110	103	The Hawk	241	215
Jordon Falls-Jordon Falls Station	318	376	Upper Port LaTour	176	205
Lower Clark's Harbour	265	269	Upper Woods Harbour	168	233
			West Baccaro	129	149
			West Green Harbour	320	307
			Western Head	208	120

n/a Not Available

Due to the lack of legal or official boundaries, the Census is not always able to distinguish the population of these unincorporated places from that of the surrounding area.

The population totals shown in this report for 1976 and 1981 should thus be considered approximations.

SOURCE: Statistics Canada, Census of Canada

Table 3

Rural and Urban Population Distribution
Shelburne County and Nova Scotia, 1976 and 1981

	SHELBURNE COUNTY				NOVA SCOTIA			
	Number		%		Number		%	
	1976[1]	1981[2]	1976	1981	1976[1]	1981[2]	1976	1981
Rural	12,352	13,037	72.8	75.2	360,416	380,600	43.5	44.9
Non-Farm	12,217	12,925	72.0	74.6	338,970	362,484	40.9	42.8
Farm	135	112	0.8	0.6	21,446	18,116	2.6	2.1
Urban	4,618	4,291	27.2	24.8	468,155	466,842	56.5	55.1
Total	16,970	17,328	100.0	100.0	828,571	847,442	100.0	100.0

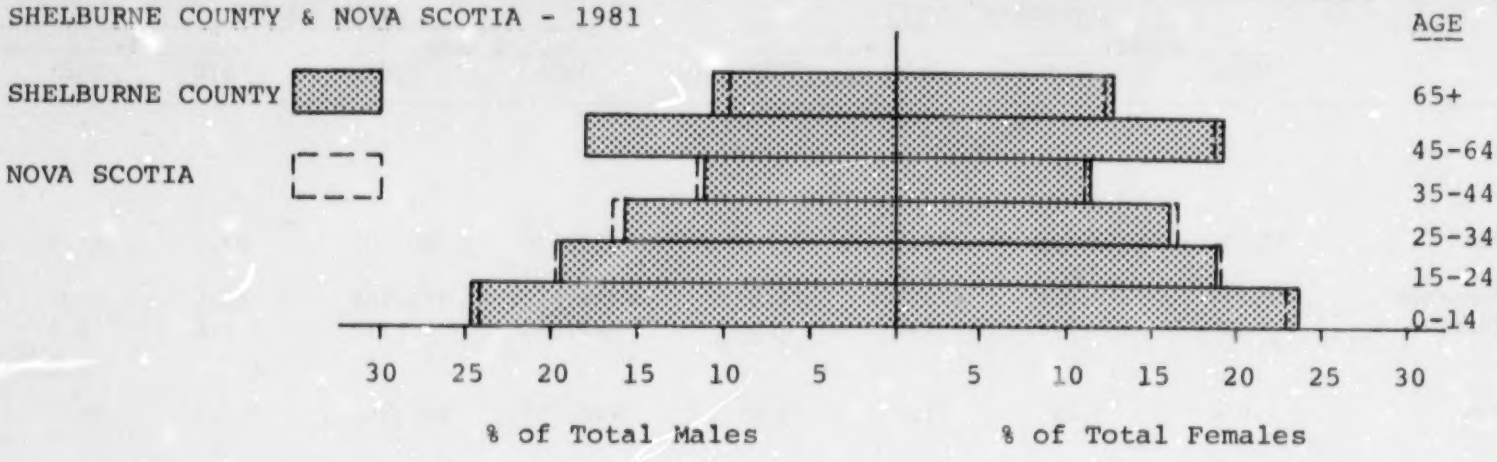
1 Based on 1981 definition of farm population.

2 Farm population in 1981 refers to all persons living in a farm operator household on a farm situated in either a rural or urban area. Only farms with sales of $250 or more are included.

SOURCE: Statistics Canada, Census of Canada

Graph 2

Age-Sex Pyramids
Shelburne County and Nova Scotia, 1976 and 1981



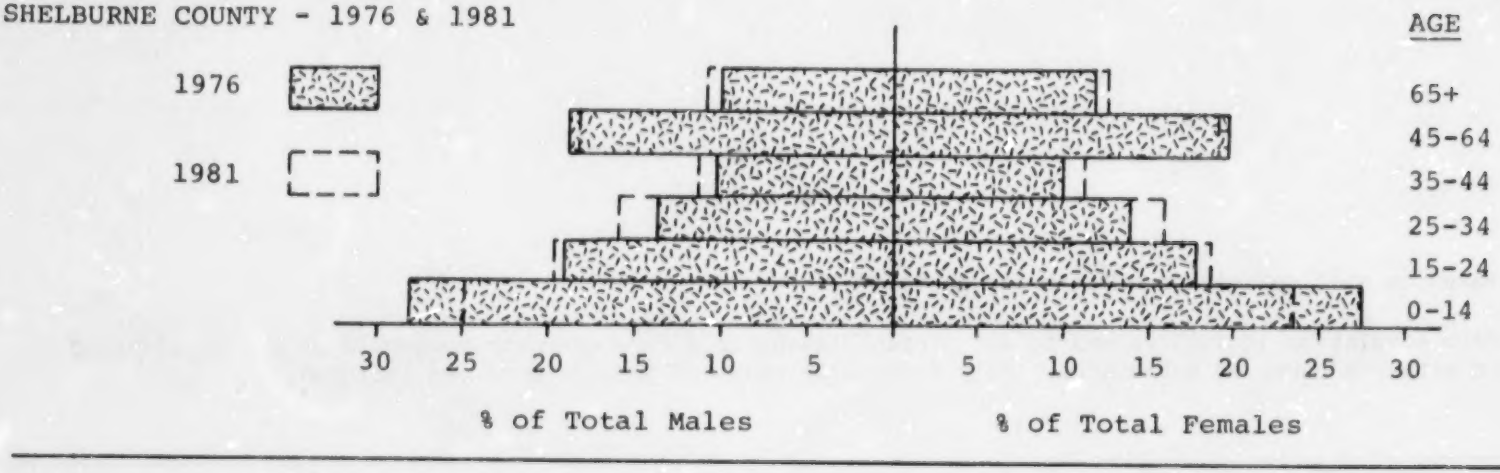


Table 4

Age-Sex % Distribution of the Population
Shelburne County and Nova Scotia, 1976 and 1981

Age	SHELBURNE COUNTY				NOVA SCOTIA			
	1976		1981		1976		1981	
	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
0-14	28.1	27.3	24.8	23.4	27.7	26.3	24.3	22.6
15-24	19.1	17.7	19.5	18.7	20.0	19.1	19.8	18.9
25-34	13.7	13.8	15.8	15.8	15.0	14.6	16.5	16.4
35-44	10.3	9.9	11.1	10.3	10.4	10.1	11.6	11.2
45-64	18.8	19.5	18.1	19.1	18.2	19.1	18.1	18.7
65+	10.0	11.7	10.7	12.7	8.6	10.8	9.7	12.2
TOTAL	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
TOTAL NUMBER	8,675	8,300	8,795	8,530	414,155	414,420	419,575	427,865

SOURCE: Statistics Canada, Census of Canada

Table 5

Population by Marital Status and Sex
Shelburne County, 1981

		Total Population	SINGLE (NEVER MARRIED)			MARRIED			WIDOWED	DIVORCED
			Total	Under 15 yrs.	15 yrs. & Over	Total	Married	Separated		
Nova Scotia	- T	847,440	383,005	198,490	184,515	402,505	388,885	13,625	45,480	16,450
	- M	419,575	203,730	101,740	101,990	200,780	194,800	5,975	8,040	7,025
	- F	427,865	179,275	96,750	82,525	201,725	194,085	7,640	37,440	9,420
Shelburne Co.	- T	17,325	7,395	4,170	3,225	8,730	8,500	225	945	260
	- M	8,795	4,110	2,175	1,935	4,370	4,265	110	190	125
	- F	8,530	3,285	1,995	1,290	4,350	4,240	115	755	140
Clark's Harbour	- T	1,060	435	250	185	560	535	20	50	10
	- M	555	265	140	125	280	270	10	5	5
	- F	505	170	110	60	280	265	10	45	10
Lockeport	- T	930	370	185	185	470	455	10	85	10
	- M	460	205	90	115	230	225	0	20	0
	- F	470	165	95	70	235	230	10	65	5
Shelburne	- T	2,305	1,000	520	480	1,095	1,055	40	150	50
	- M	1,110	510	265	245	550	535	20	20	20
	- F	1,200	495	255	240	540	525	15	125	30

SOURCE: Statistics Canada, Census of Canada

Table 6

Vital Statistics

Shelburne County and Nova Scotia, 1978-1982

	LIVE BIRTHS BY PLACE OF RESIDENCE					DEATHS BY PLACE OF RESIDENCE				
	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982
Shelburne County	288	231	245	248	251	149	163	165	144	141
Clark's Harbour	18	15	n/a	11	18	11	12	9	9	13
Lockeport	n/a	n/a	13	15	12	n/a	n/a	13	12	9
Shelburne Town	57	32	52	36	50	23	27	31	22	19
Nova Scotia	12,548	12,406	12,369	12,079	12,325	6,877	6,843	7,004	6,958	6,941

SOURCE: Department of Health, Vital Statistics

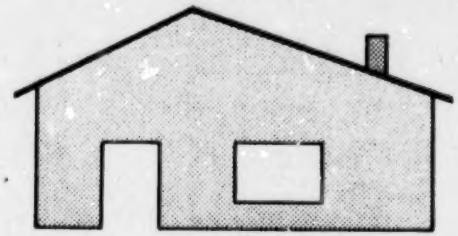


Table 7

Family Characteristics
Shelburne County, 1981

	TOTAL FAMILIES	FAMILIES BY NUMBER OF PERSONS							TOTAL PERSONS IN FAMILIES	AVERAGE NUMBER OF PERSONS PER FAMILY	
		2	3	4	5	6	7	8+		1981	1976
Nova Scotia											
Number	216,200	78,495	48,280	50,540	24,520	9,315	3,125	1,920	721,035	3.3	3.5
% of Total	100.0	36.3	22.3	23.4	11.3	4.3	1.4	0.9			
Shelburne County											
Number	4,605	1,700	1,045	1,125	490	175	45	25	15,090	3.3	3.4
% of Total	100.0	36.9	22.7	24.4	10.6	3.8	1.0	0.5			
Clark's Harbour	300	115	75	70	25	10	5	5	955	3.2	3.3
Lockeport	250	105	45	55	25	10	0	0	775	3.2	3.3
Shelburne	595	230	140	125	60	25	5	5	1,925	3.2	3.4
Barrington Munic.	2,095	730	505	530	225	75	15	10	6,875	3.3	3.4
Shelburne Munic.	1,375	520	280	340	150	60	20	10	4,570	3.3	3.5

SOURCE: Statistics Canada, Census of Canada

Table 8

Family Incomes
Shelburne County and Nova Scotia, 1980

	1980		
	Average Family Income	% of Nova Scotia Average	% Low Income Families of Total Families [1]
	$	%	%
Nova Scotia	21,872	100.0	14.2
Shelburne County	19,827	90.6	12.0
Clark's Harbour	22,691	103.7	8.7
Lockeport	17,834	81.5	10.2
Shelburne Town	18,738	85.7	18.1
Barrington Municipality	21,044	96.2	10.0
Shelburne Municipality	18,174	83.1	13.4

[1]Low income statistics are based on the revised (1978) cut-offs which were initially estimated from the 1978 National Family Expenditure Survey and then updated to 1980 by the changes in the Consumer Price Index since 1978. The cut-offs are based on size of family unit and population size of area of residence.

SOURCE: Statistics Canada, Census of Canada

Table 9

Average Income Per Income Tax Filer
Shelburne County and Nova Scotia, 1976-1981

	ALL RETURNS FILED			
	Number	Total Income	Average Income	% Average Income of Nova Scotia Average
		$'000	$	%
Shelburne County				
- 1976	6,436	50,491	7,845	85.4
- 1977	8,033	62,575	7,790	79.1
- 1978[1]	9,037	76,694	8,487	91.5
- 1979	9,265	84,724	9,145	90.4
- 1980	9,764	97,757	10,012	90.5
- 1981	9,963	110,538	11,095	88.7

PERCENTAGE OF RETURNS BY INCOME GROUP

Income Group	SHELBURNE COUNTY 1976 %	SHELBURNE COUNTY 1981 %	NOVA SCOTIA 1976 %	NOVA SCOTIA 1981 %
Under $2,000	9.1		11.0	
$ 2,000 - $ 4,000	17.8	31.6	14.3	29.4
$ 4,000 - $ 5,000	4.9		6.7	
$ 5,000 - $ 7,500	43.2	11.8	31.7	10.8
$ 7,500 - $10,000		10.8		10.0
$10,000 - $15,000	15.3	18.0	19.7	9.5
$15,000 - $20,000	5.3	12.8	10.2	20.5
$20,000 - $25,000		7.2		8.3
$25,000 - $30,000	4.3	3.6	6.3	5.0
$30,000 +		4.2		6.5

[1]Comparatively lower average income in 1978 is due to a greater number of low income returns filed to claim child tax credit. This claim applies also to succeeding years.

SOURCE: Revenue Canada, Taxation; Taxation Statistics

Table 10

Households and Average Number of Persons per Household
Shelburne County and Nova Scotia, 1976 and 1981

	NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS		AVERAGE NUMBER OF PERSONS PER HOUSEHOLD	
	1976	1981	1976	1981
Nova Scotia	243,100	273,195	3.3	3.0
Shelburne County	5,095	5,545	3.2	3.1
Clark's Harbour	340	345	3.1	3.0
Lockeport	315	315	3.2	2.8
Shelburne	790	790	3.1	2.9
Barrington Municipality	2,170	2,430	3.3	3.1
Shelburne Municipality	1,485	1,655	3.3	3.1

SOURCE: Statistics Canada, Census of Canada

Table 11

Occupied Dwellings by Tenure and Type
Shelburne County and Nova Scotia, 1976 and 1981

	CLARK'S HARBOUR	LOCKEPORT	SHELBURNE	MUNICIPALITY OF BARRINGTON	MUNICIPALITY OF SHELBURNE	SHELBURNE COUNTY	NOVA SCOTIA
TENURE:							
1976 - Owned (%)	88.1	79.7	72.3	89.4	88.3	85.7	72.4
Rented (%)	11.9	20.3	27.7	10.6	11.7	14.3	27.6
Total (No.)	340	320	790	2,170	1,485	5,100	243,100
1981 - Owned (%)	86.2	81.7	72.2	89.5	86.6	85.5	71.5
Rented (%)	13.8	18.3	27.8	10.5	13.4	14.5	28.5
Total (No.)	345	315	790	2,430	1,660	5,540	273,195
TYPE:							
1976 - Singles, Doubles & Row (%)	92.6	90.6	80.4	89.4	88.9	88.1	78.9
Apartments (%)	1.5	7.8	10.1	1.2	0.7	2.9	15.4
Mobile (%)	5.9	1.6	9.5	9.4	10.4	9.0	5.7
Total (No.)	340	320	790	2,170	1,485	5,100	243,100
1981 - Singles, Doubles & Row (%)	91.3	95.2	78.5	88.7	87.3	87.2	77.9
Apartments (%)	4.4	3.2	13.3	1.2	0.9	3.2	16.7
Mobile (%)	4.3	1.6	8.2	10.1	11.7	9.6	5.4
Total (No.)	345	315	790	2,430	1,660	5,540	273,195

SOURCE: Statistics Canada, Census of Canada

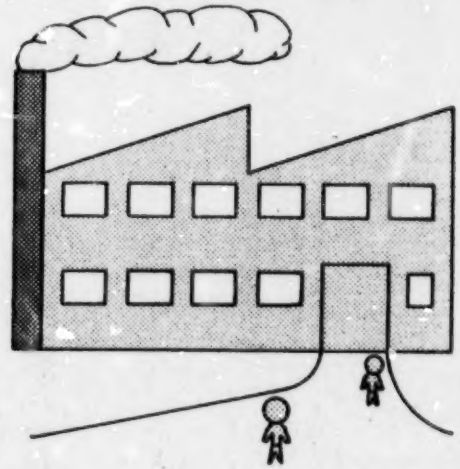


Table 12

Labour Force Activity
Shelburne County, 1976 and 1981

	1976			1981		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
Population 15+	6,235	6,030	12,265	6,550	6,440	12,995
Labour Force	4,275	1,725	6,000	4,715	2,380	7,100
Employment	3,995	1,540	5,530	4,405	1,995	6,405
Unemployment	285	185	470	310	385	695
Unemployment Rate [1]	6.7	10.7	7.8	6.6	16.2	9.8
Participation Rate [2]	68.6	28.6	48.9	72.0	37.0	54.6

[1] Unemployed as a percent of labour force.

[2] Labour force as a percent of population 15+.

SOURCE: Statistics Canada, Census of Canada

Table 13

Labour Force, 15 Years and Over, by Age, Sex and Level of Schooling
Shelburne County, 1981

	Total	No Certificate Or Diploma Less Than Grade 9	No Certificate Or Diploma Grades 9 - 13	High School Certificate Or Diploma	Trades, University Or Other Non-University Certificate Or Diploma	University Degree
Labour Force						
Total	7,100	2,000	2,460	745	1,550	340
Male	4,715	1,595	1,480	400	995	250
Female	2,380	405	975	350	555	90
Aged 15-24						
Total	1,875	325	870	325	295	60
Male	1,185	260	550	170	165	45
Female	690	70	320	160	130	20
Aged 25-44						
Total	3,370	905	985	275	985	220
Male	2,220	700	570	135	625	175
Female	1,150	205	415	135	360	40
Aged 45-54						
Total	985	365	350	70	150	45
Male	670	290	190	45	125	25
Female	315	75	160	25	30	20
Aged 55-64						
Total	750	350	225	55	110	15
Male	550	295	150	35	70	5
Female	195	50	75	20	35	10
Aged 65+						
Total	115	60	25	20	10	0
Male	85	50	20	10	5	0
Female	35	10	10	10	5	0

SOURCE: Statistics Canada, Census of Canada

Table 14

Labour Force,[1] 15 Years and Over, by Sex, Showing Industry Divisions
Shelburne County, 1981

	SHELBURNE COUNTY			% OF TOTAL LABOUR FORCE[1]	
	Male	Female	Total	Shelburne Co.	Nova Scotia
Agriculture	25	5	30	0.4	2.3
Forestry	35	-	35	0.5	1.3
Fishing and Trapping	1,160	55	1,220	17.3	2.0
Mines, Quarries and Oil Wells	5	-	5	0.1	1.8
Manufacturing	1,285	635	1,920	27.2	15.0
Construction	285	15	300	4.3	6.5
Transportation, Communication & Other Utilities	165	80	240	3.4	8.0
Trade	725	520	1,245	17.6	17.4
Finance, Insurance and Real Estate	55	100	155	2.2	4.4
Community, Business & Personal Services	460	785	1,245	17.6	29.2
Public Administration & Defence	510	150	660	9.4	12.1
Total Labour Force[1]	4,715	2,350	7,055	100.0	100.0

[1] By place of residence, excludes persons looking for work who last worked prior to January 1, 1980, and who never worked.

SOURCE: Statistics Canada, Census of Canada

Table 15

Experienced Labour Force[1] by Occupation Groups
Shelburne County, 1981

	SHELBURNE COUNTY			% OF TOTAL EXPERIENCED LABOUR FORCE	
	Male	Female	Total	Shelburne Co.	Nova Scotia
Managerial, Administrative & Related	205	90	300	4.2	7.3
Natural Sciences, Engineering & Math	45	20	65	0.9	2.8
Occupations in Social Sciences & Related	35	20	60	0.9	1.5
Occupations in Religion	20	5	25	0.4	0.3
Teaching & Related Occupations	120	105	220	3.1	4.7
Occupations in Medicine & Health	40	160	200	2.8	5.2
Artistic, Literary, Recreational & Related	25	30	55	0.8	1.2
Clerical & Related	105	570	680	9.[illegible]	16.5
Sales Occupations	235	200	430	6.1	9.2
Service Occupations	435	470	905	12.8	14.6
Farming, Horticulture & Animal Husbandry	50	-	50	0.7	2.3
Fishing, Hunting, Trapping & Related	1,395	25	1,425	20.2	2.4
Forestry & Logging	40	10	50	0.7	1.2
Mining & Quarrying	10	-	5	0.1	1.0
Processing Occupations	725	560	1,280	18.1	5.0
Machining & Related Occupations	80	5	85	1.2	1.6
Product Fabricating, Assembly & Repairing	275	30	305	4.3	6.1
Construction Trades	370	5	375	5.3	7.6
Transport Equipment Operating	270	10	275	3.9	4.4
Materials Handling & Related	70	20	90	1.3	2.2
Other Crafts & Equipment Operating	75	10	80	1.1	1.2
Occupations not Elsewhere Classified	100	-	100	1.4	1.7
Total Experienced Labour Force[1]	4,710	2,350	7,060	100.0	100.0

[1] Excludes persons looking for work, who last worked prior to January 1, 1980 or who never worked.

SOURCE: Statistics Canada, Census of Canada

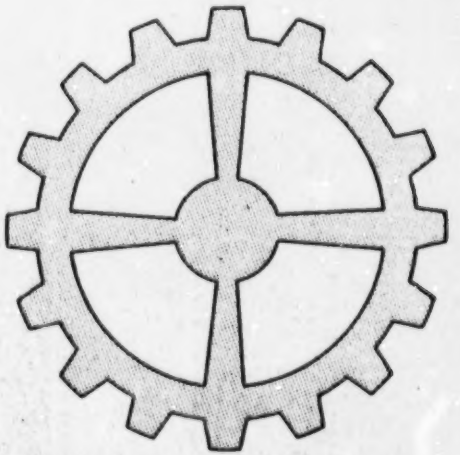


Table 16

Principal Farm Census Data
Shelburne County, 1976 and 1981

	1976*	1981*
Farm Population	35	108
% of Total Population Living on Farms	0.2	0.6
Farm Operators by Age:		
Under 25 years	---	1
25-34 years	1	8
35-44 years	2	9
45-54 years	4	8
55-59 years	---	3
60-64 years	1	1
65 years and over	2	6
Total Number of Farms	10	36
- With sales of $2,500 +	3	13
Size of Farms:		
1- 9 acres	1	11
10- 69 acres	---	13
70- 129 acres	5	4
130- 179 acres	2	1
180- 239 acres	---	1
240- 399 acres	---	3
400- 559 acres	---	2
560- 759 acres	1	1
760- 1,119 acres	1	---
1,120- 1,599 acres	---	---
1,600+ acres	---	---

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Table 16 (con't.)

	1976*	1981*
Total Area of Farms - acres	2,154	3,900
Improved Land - acres	186	367
Under Crops - acres	148	185
Improved Pasture - acres	15	122
Summer Fallow - acres	---	---
Other Improved - acres	23	60
Unimproved Land - acres	1,968	3,594
Woodland - acres	1,632	1,958
Other Unimproved - acres	336	1,576
Average Size of Farms - acres	215	108
Improved Land as a % of Total Farm Land Area	8.6	9.4

*Note: In 1981, a Census farm is defined as an agricultural holding with sales of agricultural products during the year 1980 of $250 or more.

For 1976, a Census farm is defined as an agricultural holding of one acre or more with sales of agricultural products during the year 1975 of $1,200 or more.

SOURCE: Statistics Canada, Census of Canada

Table 17

Census Farms by Economic Class and Product Type
Shelburne County, 1976 and 1981

	1976*	1981*
Total number of farms	10	36
Number of farms by value of agricultural products sold in previous year		
$250,000 and over	-	-
$100,000 - $249,999	-	-
$ 50,000 - $ 99,999	-	1
$ 25,000 - $ 49,999	1	-
$ 10,000 - $ 24,999	1	3
$ 5,000 - $ 9,999	1	1
$ 2,500 - $ 4,999	-	8
Under $2,500	7	23
Number of census farms with sales of $2,500 or more classified by product type - Total	3	13
Dairy	-	-
Cattle, hogs, sheep (excluding dairy farms)	1	2
Poultry	-	-
Wheat	-	-
Smallgrains (excluding wheat farms)	-	-
Field crops, other than smallgrains	-	-
Fruits and vegetables	-	2
Miscellaneous specialty	2	8
Mixed	-	1
Livestock combination	-	-
Field crops combination	-	-
Other combinations	-	1

*Note: See Table 16 for definition of census farms in 1976 and 1981.

SOURCE: Statistics Canada, Census of Canada

Table 18

Landed Value and Weight of Sea Fisheries
Shelburne County, 1978-1982

	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982
Value - $'000	31,845	38,382	36,312	38,385	45,677
% of Nova Scotia total	16.3	17.9	15.7	14.6	17.6
Weight - metric tonnes	63,686	56,561	58,023	63,810	63,343
% of Nova Scotia total	13.7	13.6	13.0	13.3	13.5

SOURCE: Statistics Canada, 24-205. Fisheries and Oceans Canada

Table 19

Number of Fishermen by Percent of Income Derived from Fishery
Shelburne County, 1978-1982

	% of Income Derived from Fishery			
	Total	0-25%	26-75%	76-100%
1978	1,559	231	197	1,133
1979	1,574	315	203	1,056
1980	1,778	418	178	1,182
1981	1,685	280	148	1,257
1982	1,677	254	128	1,295
% of Nova Scotia				
1978	15.8	7.4	11.0	23.1
1979	14.6	7.8	12.3	20.6
1980	15.6	10.0	10.3	21.4
1981	14.8	8.5	9.3	19.3
1982	15.3	8.0	9.1	20.3

SOURCE: Statistics Canada, 24-205. Fisheries and Oceans Canada

Table 20

Area of Land Classes
Shelburne County, 1979-1980

	Area (Hectares)*	% of Total Area
Forest Land		
Productive Forest		
1. Softwood	85,880	33.2
2. Mixed Wood	65,810	25.4
3. Hardwood	29,360	11.3
Total Forested Land	181,050	69.9
Non-Forested Land	53,830	20.8
Water and Flowage	24,000	9.3
Total Area of County	258,960	100.0

*1 hectare = 2.471 acres

SOURCE: Nova Scotia Forest Inventory, Western Subdivision - 1970-80.

Table 21

Forest Production Statistics
Shelburne County, 1981-1982

	Sawn Lumber (M. fbm.)					Pulpwood (M^3 - solid wood)				
	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982
Softwood	3,799	5,788	4,238	3,856	6,298	1,988	1,824	1,868	810	1,132
Hardwood	110	141	133	106	43	-	2,209	2,209	-	-
Total	3,909	5,929	4,371	3,962	6,341	1,988	4,033	4,077	810	1,132
% of Nova Scotia										
Softwood	2.1	3.0	2.4	2.4	4.5	0.1	0.1	0.1	-	0.1
Hardwood	2.3	1.5	1.8	1.1	0.5	-	0.6	0.5	-	-
Total	2.1	2.9	2.4	2.3	4.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	-	0.1

SOURCE: Nova Scotia Forest Products Directory

Table 22

Forest Production Statistics (in Common Measure)
Shelburne County, 1981-1982

	1981	1982	% OF NOVA SCOTIA 1981	% OF NOVA SCOTIA 1982
Lumber (M. fbm.)	3,962	6,341	2.3	4.2
Boxwood (M. fbm.)	-	-	-	-
Railway Ties (M. fbm.)	-	-	-	-
Mine Packs (M. fbm.)	-	-	-	-
Laths (M's)	122	515	2.1	9.5
Shingles (Squares)	-	-	-	-
Staves & Headings (M. fbm.)	50	96	51.0	48.0
Residue Chips (M^3 Stacked)	7,790	8,525	1.6	2.5
Pulpwood - Rough (M^3 Stacked)	1,330	1,794	0.0	0.1
Pit Props - Rough (M^3 Stacked)	-	-	-	-
Poles & Piling (M^3)	-	39	-	2.5

SOURCE: Nova Scotia Forest Products Directory

Table 23

Principal statistics for Manufacturing Industries
Shelburne County, 1978-1981

		MANUFACTURING ACTIVITY								
	Year	Number of Establishments	Production and Related Workers		Man-Hours Paid ($'000)	Wages ($'000)	Cost of Fuel & Electricity ($'000)	Cost of Materials & Supplies ($'000)	Value of Shipments of Goods of Own Manufacture ($'000)	Value Added Manufacturing Activity ($'000)
			Male	Female						
Clark's Harbour	1978	7	116	81	414	1,736	142	5,726	8,715	2,820
	1979	7	100	83	424	2,066	180	6,254	8,369	2,019
	1980	10	103	96	460	2,571	192	9,780	14,013	4,052
	1981	11	124	97	474	2,948	278	9,550	13,712	4,293
Shelburne Town & Municipality	1978	18	398	82	991	4,847	525	15,454	25,702	9,718
	1979	21	369	78	997	5,422	633	18,421	30,445	11,383
	1980	19	358	92	998	5,814	650	17,326	27,124	9,306
	1981	18	270	26	607	4,115	493	14,131	20,999	6,616
Barrington Municipality	1978	19	220	62	585	2,588	495	14,514	20,770	6,452
	1979	24	308	126	928	4,631	619	23,721	32,480	9,620
	1980	26	311	144	940	5,397	632	29,706	39,103	9,741
	1981	28	367	176	1,133	7,211	1,028	35,921	49,195	13,008
Shelburne County	1978	44	734	225	1,990	9,170	1,162	35,694	55,187	18,989
	1979	52	777	287	2,349	12,119	1,432	48,395	71,294	23,022
	1980	55	772	332	2,399	13,781	1,474	56,811	80,241	23,100
	1981	57	761	299	2,213	14,273	1,800	59,601	83,907	23,917
% Shelburne County of Nova Scotia	1978	6.2	3.4	4.0	3.4	2.8	0.8	2.1	2.0	2.1
	1979	6.7	3.3	4.8	3.9	3.0	6.9	2.3	2.2	2.2
	1980	6.8	3.4	5.4	3.8	3.2	1.0	2.7	2.3	1.9
	1981	7.0	3.4	4.9	3.6	3.0	0.9	2.5	2.2	1.8

SOURCE: Statistics Canada, 31-209

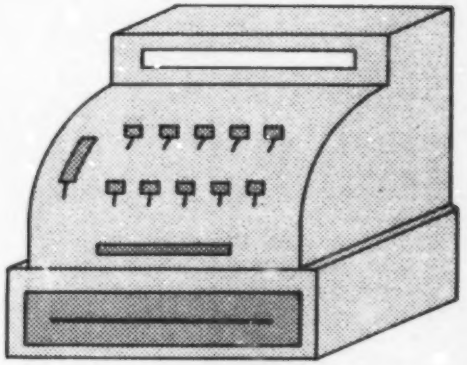

Table 24

Retail Sales

Shelburne County and Nova Scotia, 1981-1983

	YEAR	SHELBURNE COUNTY ($'000)	RETAIL SALES PER CAPITA SHELBURNE COUNTY[1] ($)	NOVA SCOTIA ($)
Food	1981	7,900	456	876
	1982	9,700	560	1,023
	1983	-	-	1,133
Automotive	1981	13,700	791	905
	1982	13,700	791	867
	1983	-	-	963
Clothing	1981	1,300	75	171
	1982	1,400	81	184
	1983	-	-	200
Hardware	1981	800	46	34
	1982	900	52	35
	1983	-	-	200
Home Furnishings Appliances, TV, Radios	1981	600	35	67
	1982	800	46	73
	1983	-	-	77
Total Retail Sales[2]	1981	42,200	2,435	3,315
	1982	46,400	2,678	3,540
	1983	52,600	3,003	3,994

[1]Sales per capita are derived by using the 1981 Census populations.

[2]Includes sales of other retail groups not specified above.

SOURCE: The Financial Post, Canadian Markets

Table 25
Building Permits
Shelburne County and Nova Scotia, 1980-1983

	NUMBER OF DWELLING UNITS			VALUE OF CONSTRUCTION				
	Single & Double Dwellings	Other	Total	Residential	Industrial	Commercial	Institutional & Government	Total
		(units)				($'000)		
1980								
Shelburne Town	4	-	4	194	3	57	-	254
Barrington Municipality[1]	59	-	59	2,299	354	608	173	3,434
Total Shelburne County	63	-	63	2,493	357	665	173	3,688
Nova Scotia	3,734	924	4,658	177,181	37,858	75,016	38,121	328,176
1981								
Shelburne Town	1	-	1	68	60	60	-	188
Barrington Municipality[1]	53	15	68	2,866	710	597	2,012	6,185
Total Shelburne County	54	15	69	2,934	770	65	2,012	6,373
Nova Scotia	3,374	1,063	4,437	196,312	43,899	76,245	60,086	376,542
1982								
Shelburne Town	3	-	3	82	-	-	-	82
Barrington Municipality[1]	66	-	66	3,013	81	750	110	3,954
Total Shelburne County	69	-	69	3,095	81	750	110	4,036
Nova Scotia	3,272	526	3,798	181,371	18,555	58,675	65,266	323,867
1983								
Shelburne Town	6	-	6	212	-	47	-	259
Barrington Municipality	59	-	59	2,763	216	293	15	3,287
Shelburne Municipality	44	-	44	1,287	-	50	150	1,487
Total Shelburne County	109	-	109	4,262	216	390	165	5,033
Nova Scotia	4,971	1,052	6,023	320,624	17,347	74,764	56,516	469,251

[1]Total of only those municipalities for which data are available.

SOURCE: Statistics Canada, 64-203, 64-001

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	1983	-	-	1,133
Automotive	1981	13,700	791	905
	1982	13,700	791	867
	1983	-	-	963
Clothing	1981	1,300	75	171
	1982	1,400	81	184
	1983	-	-	200
Hardware	1981	800	46	34
	1982	900	52	35
	1983	-	-	200
Home Furnishings Appliances, TV, Radios	1981	600	35	67
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Barrington Municipality[1]	59	-	59	2,299	354	608	173	3,434
Total Shelburne County[1]	63	-	63	2,493	357	665	173	3,688
Nova Scotia	3,734	924	4,658	177,181	37,858	75,016	38,121	328,176
1981								
Shelburne Town	1	-	1	68	60	60	-	188
Barrington Municipality[1]	53	15	68	2,866	710	597	2,012	6,185
Total Shelburne County[1]	54	15	69	2,934	770	65	2,012	6,373
Nova Scotia	3,374	1,063	4,437	196,312	43,899	76,245	60,086	376,542
1982								
Shelburne Town	3	-	3	82	-	-	-	82
Barrington Municipality[1]	66	-	66	3,013	81	750	110	3,954
Total Shelburne County[1]	69	-	69	3,095	81	750	110	4,036
Nova Scotia	3,272	526	3,798	181,371	18,555	58,675	65,266	323,867
1983								
Shelburne Town	6	-	6	212	-	47	-	259
Barrington Municipality	59	-	59	2,763	216	293	15	3,287
Shelburne Municipality	44	-	44	1,287	-	50	150	1,487
Total Shelburne County	109	-	109	4,262	216	390	165	5,033
Nova Scotia	4,971	1,052	6,023	320,628	17,347	74,764	56,516	469,251

[1]Total of only those municipalities for which data are available.

SOURCE: Statistics Canada, 64-203, 64-001

FACTS & FIGURES

2,235

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Shelburne County
Facts and Figures

MUNICIPALITIES AND 1983 TAX RATES (PER $100 OF ASSESSMENT)

	Residential	Commercial
Town of Clark's Harbour	$ 1.51	$ 2.27
Town of Lockeport	1.50	2.25
Town of Shelburne	2.00	3.00
Municipality of Barrington	.98	1.44
Municipality of Shelburne	1.14	1.52

AREA AND DENSITY

	Land Area Sq. Kilometers	Population Density Per Sq. Kilometer
Clark's Harbour	3.2	326.9
Lockeport	2.9	323.7
Shelburne	8.1	283.3
Municipality of Barrington	619.7	12.4
Municipality of Shelburne	1,722.6	3.1
County of Shelburne	2,356.5	7.4

DEMOGRAPHICS (ALL AS PERCENT OF TOTAL POPULATION)

Religion - 1981		Ethnic Groups - 1981		Mother Tongue - 1981	
Anglican	17.0%	British Isles	83.9%	English	98.5%
United Church	21.3%	German	3.0%	Other	1.5%
Other Protestant	48.6%	French	2.4%		
Roman Catholic	7.5%	Netherlands	1.7%		
Other	5.6%	Other	9.0%		

EDUCATIONAL FACILITIES

Within the County of Shelburne, there were 204 school teachers with enrolment at 1,985 elementary, 825 junior high, 606 senior high and 61 in other programs during 1983-84. The Nova Scotia School for Boys, a correction centre for delinquent juvenile boys, and the Shelburne Regional Vocational School (14 teachers, 165 students) are both located in Shelburne.

HOSPITALS

Roseway Hospital, Shelburne	55 beds, 12 bassinets

INDUSTRIAL PARKS

Shelburne Industrial Park

LARGEST INDUSTRIAL EMPLOYERS

	Approximate Employment
National Sea Products Limited, Lockeport Div., Lockeport	225
Sable Fish Packers Limited, Clark's Harbour	200
Connors Bros. Ltd., Clark's Harbour	125
Clearwater Seafoods Ltd., Port L'Hebert	120
Pierce Fisheries Limited, Lockeport	120
Shelburne Marine Limited, Sandy Point	75
Continental Seafoods Limited, Shelburne	70
Scotia Marine Products (1983) Inc.	63

TRANSPORTATION

Highways	Kilometers
Paved Highways - Arterial	70.6
- Collector	137.5
- Local	170.9
Unpaved Highways	427.4
Total	806.4

Road Motor Vehicle Registrations, 1982	Number
Passenger Automobiles	5,226
Trucks and buses	2,487
Total	7,713

Rail

Rail service to the County terminated when CN abandoned their line between Yarmouth and Liverpool in August 1982. On-highway express service is provided to Shelburne County from Yarmouth and Liverpool.

Air

The nearest commercial airport is in Yarmouth, a distance of 119 km. Private and charter aircraft can use the 915 meter paved runway at the Liverpool Airport located at Greenfield in Queens County.

Bus

MacKenzie Bus Lines travels through Shelburne County daily on its route between Halifax and Yarmouth.

TRANSPORTATION (Continued)

Marine

There are numerous wharves along Shelburne Harbour including the Shelburne Public Wharf operated by Transport Canada. Other than fish products the existing commercial traffic at the Port is inbound liquid petroleum products.

COMMUNICATIONS

Newspapers and Magazines

Shelburne - The Coast Guard	Circ. 5,800 - weekly
Shelburne - Shelburne County Telecaster	Circ. 5,800 - weekly

Radio Stations

Shelburne CKBW - FM - 2 1,150 watts
4 sub-stations at Barrington, Lockeport, Sable River and Shelburne each operating at 40 watts.

TV Stations

Shelburne - CBHT - 2 Channel 7 8,400 watts
Lieutenant Colonel R.W. Wybou (National Defence) serves Sherose Park, Sherose Island (Canadian Forces Station Barrington) (CANCOM).
Seabreeze Cablevision Limited serves Shelburne, Lockeport, Locke Island, Brighton, Lydgate, Osborne Harbour, Clark's Harbour, Barrington, Wood's Harbour (CANCOM).

SHOPPING CENTRES

Shelburne Shopping Centre	5,481 m^2

TRAVELLER ACCOMMODATIONS

	Hotel Rooms	Motel Units	Guest House Rooms	Cottages & Cabins	Total
Barrington Passage	-	10	3	-	13
Lockeport	-	-	6	6	12
Shelburne	17	99	-	4	120
Total	17	109	9	10	145

CULTURAL FACILITIES

Libraries

Western Counties Regional Library with headquarters in the Town of Yarmouth, has branches in Barrington Passage, Clark's Harbour, Lockeport and Shelburne.

Museums and Art Galleries

Ross-Thompson House, Shelburne
Archelaus Smith Museum, Cape Sable Island
Old Meeting House, Barrington
Cape Sable Historial Society, Barrington
Barrington Woolen Mill, Barrington
Shelburne County Museum, Shelburne
Chapel Hill Museum, Shag Harbour